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SUBJECT: VISIT OF SOVIET HIGHER EDUCATION DELEGATION

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1. SOVDEL DEPARTED US OCT 27 FEELING IT HAD ACCOMPLISHED MUCH, ALTHOUGH IT FELT "SATURATED" BY TIGHT PROGRAMMING AND "ITINERARY".
2. PROGRAM CONCENTRATED IN TWO AREAS: FIRST, GENERAL EDUCATION QUESTIONS INVOLVING UNIVERSITIES, INCLUDING ORGANIZATION, ADMINISTRATION, TEACHING METHODS, ADMISSION STANDARDS; AND SECOND, COMPUTER-AIDED EDUCATION PROGRAMS. LATTER WAS CLEARLY FOCUS OF SOVDEL, AND THEY RECEIVED BRIEFINGS ON LATEST COMPUTER-AIDED EDUCATION SYSTEMS IN US AND METHODS OF TEACHING USE OF COMPUTERS.
3. SOVDEL WAS PARTICULARLY IMPRESSED BY VISITS TO COMMUNITY COLLEGES AND MIT WHERE IT SAW PROGRAM ON COMPUTER-AIDED EDUCATION FOR YOUNG CHILDREN. ITINERARY INCLUDED VISITS TO NSF, ENGINEERING EDUCATION SOCIETY, AND OE IN IN WASHINGTON, U OF CAL AT BERKELEY, SANTA BARBARA, AND LOS ANGELES, COMMUNITY COLLEGE IN SAN FRANCISCO, HARVARD AND MIT.

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4. SOVDEL WAS SOMEWHAT DISAPPOINTED BY INABILITY TO VISIT CDC, BUT UNDERSTOOD DIFFICULTY OF REARRANGING ALREADY TIGHT SCHEDULE. HOWEVER, TIGHT SCHEDULE UNAVOIDABLE DUE TO SOVIET INSISTENCE ON LIMITING VISIT TO TWO WEEKS. INGERSOLL

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